

Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Chester County, Pennsylvania

Trend of Fatalities, 2000-2004

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	61	47	45	52	56
	Alcohol-Related	29	16	19	29	20
	Single Vehicle	38	27	23	29	19
	Non-Junction	43	33	35	44	45
	Intersection	14	11	9	7	9
	Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	15	24	20	23	27
	Pedestrians	6	2	0	3	1
	Pedalcyclists	1	0	0	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	8	9	7	4	9
	Roadway Departure	44	30	32	41	42
	Passenger Car Occupants	32	30	32	31	34
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	18	7	8	10	17
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	1	1	2	2
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	51	38	41	43	53
	Motorcycle Riders	3	6	4	6	2

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+) By Restraint Use, 2004

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2004	50	21	27	2

Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+) By Helmet Use, 2004

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2004	2	1	1	0



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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2004

	2004				
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State	
Total Fatalities	56	5	12.02	50	
Alcohol-Related	20	8	4.29	48	
Single Vehicle	19	14	4.08	58	
Non-Junction	45	3	9.66	44	
Intersection	9	11	1.93	44	
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	
Speeding Involved	27	2	5.79	41	
Pedestrians	1	26	0.21	39	
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0	
Large Truck Involved	9	5	1.93	29	
Roadway Departure	42	5	9.01	47	
Passenger Car Occupants	34	3	7.30	36	
Light Truck/Van Occupants	17	1	3.65	29	
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	2	6	0.43	29	
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	53	2	11.37	41	
Motorcycle Riders	2	25	0.43	45	

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.